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<u>**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**</u>

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed **July 3, 2007**. Please amend the

above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including the following document is attached following page 23 of this

paper:

U.S. Patent Office document entitled, "Examination Guidelines For Claims Reciting A

'Means or Step Plus Function' Limitation in Accordance With 35 U.S.C. § 112, 6th Paragraph."

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